

CITY OF BASEHOR

LEAVENWORTH COUNTY
BASEHOR, KANSAS 66007

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City Council Meeting April 8, 1975

Council Members Present: Mayor Bernard Eberth; Council-Clarence Worley,
David Cochran, John Ebert, John Novak, Anthony
LoScalzo (entered late).

Others Present: John Murray, City Attorney; Sylvia Lovvorn, City Clerk;
Richard Warden, City Treasurer; Leo Martell, City Engineer;
Robert Van Cleave, Municipal Judge pro tem; Sgt Leonard
Lacy; citizens of the community.

Mayor Eberth called the meeting to order. Minutes of the regular meeting
March 4, were considered for approval as printed. Minutes approved as printed.

TREASURERS REPORT

The treasurers report was then considered. Cochran moved second by Novak
to invest \$10,000.00 in CD's for 90 days at the First State Bank in Tong-
anoxia. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Clerk was directed to check
the Solid Waste contract for time allowed to pay monthly payment to con-
tractor. Cochran ask for reimbursment of \$8.00 for a file tray he purchased
for the sewer & solid waste billing clerk. Novak moved second by Ebert this
amount be allowed. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Cochran then moved
second by Ebert that the treasurer's report be approved and appropriation
ordinance #95 be adopted. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

COUNCIL TO ATTEND TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

Warden stated he had been in touch with the Fairmount Township Board concerning
the proposal made to the city on the purchase of fire hose, allowing the old
fire truck to be designated as a city fire truck. He further stated that the
next meeting of the Township Board will be May 2nd and that the council is in-
vited to attend.

FLOSSIE BOWEN-EXEMPTION AND REBATE

The exemption and rebate for one trailer pad for Flossie Bowen was then con-
sidered. Council accepted the exemption and allowed a rebate of \$24.00 for
the year 1974 and ~~\$9.00~~ ^{6.00} for 1975 for a total of \$32.00 and instructed Virginia *S.P.*
Williams to remove this trailer pad from the sewer rolls. Cochran moved, second
by Novak the above stated action be taken. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

COMMERCIAL HAULERS LICENSE FOR SOLID WASTE

Mayor then read a request from Robert Breuer for a Commercial haulers license
which would allow him to haul commercial solid waste in the city of Basehor.
Since no such license now exists Cocnrah moved second by Worley that Bob Breuer
and Charles Saladin will be allowed to operate on a temporary basis pending
availability of a formal application which will be acted upon by council. Four
yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Following much discussion Murray was ask
to construct an application for commercial haulers to include: proof of in-
surance, state approved vehicle, and license cost. Cochran then moved second
by Novak that the cost of the license for commercial haulers shall be \$20.00
per year. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Clerk was directed to notify
Saladin and Breuer of council action. This action would consitute a change
in the ordinance which Murray will prepare.

SOLID WASTE EXEMPTIONS-CITIZENS

Council viewed some 50 exemptions request from citizens. Due to the number of
requests involved, council agreed to a special meeting for the purpose of
approval or disapproval of each exemption. This meeting will be held April 22,
7:30 at the Township Hall. Citizens present were invited to attend and Sherri
Magaha, editor of the Sentinel, was ask to have this information appear in the
paper.

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LETTER FROM CITIZENS-SNOW REMOVAL

Mayor then read a letter from a citizen concerning snow removal-this letter was not signed. Mayor Eberth stated that in the future any correspondence coming to council that is unsigned will not be given council time.

BASEHOR RUSTLERS FOUR H SIGN

Mayor read a request for a permanent sign to be put up by the Basehor Rustlers. After some discussion council agreed the sign should be allowed and asked, Leonard Lacy of the Basehor Police department to supervise the location.

GARDEN CLUB REQUEST FLOWER TUBS

Mayor read a written request from the Garden Club to place three tubs of flowers at the intersection of Parallel and 155th St. Council agreed to this and again ask that the Basehor Police department attend to the placing of these tubs.

BASEHOR POLICE DEPARTMENT HOLDS DRUG MEETING

Lacy announced that the police department will have a drug meeting April 17, 7:30 at the Junior High for adults only. Lacy invited all council and citizens present to attend. Ebert moved second by Novak that \$10.00 can be apent to allow coffee to be served. Four yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

STREET SIGNS DOWN

Council was made aware of some street signs that had been blown down. It was also stated that a 30mph speed sign was needed on Leavenworth Rd. Mayor stated that the street department will attend to this matter.

RIDE-A-LONG PROGRAM DISCUSSED

Lacy presented council with a form to allow a ride-a-long program to be formed in Basehor. Lacy ask for council approval and attorney's opinion. This will be considered at the regular meeting in May.

CITY ENGINEER-LEO MARTELL

Martell informed council that the State Health Department is sending him a recent report on the liquid flow tests. Also stated that he will have some figures as to cost to build a new cell at the next meeting. Martell stated that he felt a monthly test should be taken from the north lagoon for there to be enough data to proceed for a grant. Clerk was directed to inquire of Leavenworth City as to cost for extra lab work and Mayor Eberth will ask Novo-Gradac if he could make the extra tests and carry them into Leavenworth. Council agreed to pay Novo-Gradac mileage. Mayor informed council that a new vacuum pump had to be purchased and will be installed 4-9-75. Martell informed council of the city inspector's statement that the work being done in the Rickel addition is not up to par, that there is ground water that is visible. Council ask the city inspector to police the work carefully & inform the city engineer, at which time the city engineer's office must inspect the area. Martell stated that he will get with the city attorney and fill out the application for flood insurance for the city.

LoScalzo entered 8:35

MUNICIPAL JUDGE REPORT

Warden then read the report submitted by the Municipal Judge, William Franklin.

CITY CLERK-APPOINTED MUNICIPAL COURT CLERK

Robert Van Cleave, municipal judge pro tem, ask council to approve the appointment of the city clerk as municipal court clerk, to allow persons wishing to pay police fines to do so in the office of the city clerk. Following much discussion council agreed to this action asking Murray and Van Cleave to construct an ordinance for consideration by council. Van Cleave also stated that the Municipal Judge, William Franklin, had turned over to him all of his paper work, stating his intent to resign as judge. At this point the city clerk issued the oath of office to Robert Van Cleave as Municipal Judge pro tem.

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TRAFFIC STUDY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

John Ebert, chairman of the traffic study committee, presented in writing the recommendation of "NO PARKING" signs on one side of streets for safe passage of fire trucks. Following much discussion LoScalzo moved second by Novak that John Ebert proceed with his recommendation. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. This recommendation would involve some 30 or 35 new signs. Clerk was directed to mail a copy of this report to the city attorney. This matter was directed to be placed on the May agenda. Also Sherrie Magaha, was asked to include this subject in the council story for public service.

BASEHOR SENTINEL REQUESTS APPOINTMENT AS LEGAL PUBLICATION

A letter from John Carter, publisher of the Sentinel, was considered. Attorney Murray stated Mr. Carter must comply with K.S.A. 64-101 which defines newspapers. This matter will appear on the May agenda.

VIRGINIA WILLIAMS-CONTRACT

The contract between the City and Virginia Williams providing a billing clerk for sewer and solid waste was read in it's entirety by Murray. LoScalzo moved second by Ebert that this contract be signed. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

RESOLUTION-DIVISION OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

City Clerk informed council of a name change of the Civil Defense Agency now to be known as DIVISION OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS. A resolution approving the establishment of the DIVISION OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS was considered by council. Ebert moved second by LoScalzo to adopt such a resolution. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Clerk was instructed to mail the original copy of this resolution to director Keith Bray.

LEASH LAW-COCHRAN

Councilman David Cochran then presented his findings concerning a leash law for dogs. Following much discussion Cochran was asked to contact the Animal Control Co. now operating in Bonner Springs to request a 3 month trial of their services. The leash law will be reviewed again at the special meeting of council April 22nd. License fee for city tags was then discussed. Cochran moved second by Novak that the new charges for city tags will be \$3.00 for male and spay female and \$4.00 for female. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried. Dog vacation days were set for May 3rd and May 17th from 1:00 to 3:00 at the Fairmount Township Hall. Dr. Gordon Wasson from Tong-anoxie will be the vet.

MOWER FOR CITY TRACTOR

Discussion followed concerning the purchase of a mower for the city tractor. Mayor Eberth stated that the mower belonging to A.K. Mussett for sale to the city for \$75.00 is not a highway mower and will not raise. Eberth felt a highway type mower was needed for the city's use. Following much discussion council ask Mayor Eberth to continue looking for a highway type mower.

CHANGE AND CORRECTION OF ORDINANCE #97

Clerk ask for a change and correction for ordinance #97. The change to be insertion of the words-Section I and correction from 1974 to 1975. Motion by Ebert second by Cochran to allow this action. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

MUNICIPAL JUDGE DUES

Cochran moved second by Novak to pay the amount of \$3.00 for the Municipal Judge Assoc. Five yes-opposed none. Motion Carried.

MARTELL TO STAKE NICK PROPERTY

Leo Martell, city engineer, was directed to stake the east boundry of the William Nick property to prepare for a fence.

PROPOSAL TO REMOVE HEDGE ROW ON NICK PROPERTY

Mayor Eberth proposed to remove the complete hedge row on the Nick property for the amount of \$150.00. No action was taken.

APARTMENT HOUSES EXEMPT FROM SOLID WASTE

Councilman Worley made a motion to exempt the two apartment houses in the

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city from solid waste pick-up and to have them classified as commercial,
commercial to mean---3 or more units in one building. This motion was
given a second by Novak. Four yes- one opposed (Cochran). Motion Carried.

This meeting was adjourned at 10:45

Sylvia Lovvorn
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City Clerk